

RUSSIA HAS POWER

In Great Numbers on Land, and in Ships on the Sea.

Experts Counted Seventy-six Thousand Men in Military Display at Port Arthur. Officials Taking Pains to Advertise Russia's Strength--An Object Lesson.

Port Arthur, Tuesday, October 13--A review by the viceroy, Admiral Serrano, on Sunday, of 76,000 soldiers participating in the maneuvers was the final act of last week's "war games." This force, the greatest Russia has ever concentrated in the far east, was massed on the plains outside the city. It included infantry, cavalry, and artillery. Every infantry regiment is partly mounted, in accordance with the recent regulations. Officers were given every opportunity to watch the display, and the movements of officers regarding the size of the force were verified by count of visiting experts. It was officially announced that the entire force, with easy operating distance of Port Arthur numbered one hundred thousand. Two months ago, it was 60,000 men. The today's spectacle demonstrated that the reports regarding the reinforcements arriving in Manchuria had under-estimated the real increase. The army assembled Sunday was greater than the Pekin diplomats believed Russia's entire force in Manchuria to be. Officials here are taking pains to advertise Russia's strength and proclaim that the maneuvers are intended as an object lesson.

Two battleships and two cruisers are on their way here from Russia. When they arrive Russia's naval force at this station will be stronger than Japan's, according to the views of the Russian officers.

Anticipation of war is at a fever heat in the army and navy, but this is based entirely on the activity of the preparations visible everywhere. The higher officials believe that Japan has been overawed by the demonstration of Russia's power.

No steps towards the evacuation of Manchuria have been taken. The reports that a Chinese army had assembled in the rear of Lankden are not confirmed.

LARMIST REPORTS HAVE NO FOUNDATION.

London, Oct. 14.--THE JAPAN GOVERNMENT HAS ISSUED DENIAL OF THE ALARMIST REPORTS OF THE IMMINENCE OF WAR WITH RUSSIA, IN A DESPATCH FROM TOKIO, DATED YES DAY, AND SENT TO THE JAPANESE MINISTERS ABROAD. IT IS REPORTS CURRENT ABROAD ARE DEVOID OF FOUNDATION."

ONE OUTLAW WAS KILLED.

New Attacked Runaway Philippine Officers and Desperate Battle Ensued.

Santa, Oct. 14.--The crew of the boat in which Johnston and Hermann, runaway constabulary officers, accompanied by one constable started Guibal for Cagayans Island, attacked the outlaws on nearing the latrine, killing Johnston and wounding Hermann and the constable. Hermann killed four of the crew and another two jumped over board. He put back to Negros, where he sent guns and ammunition to the police, and abandoned the boat of Nabala Bayawan, where he was in hiding when the last was heard of him. On Saturday night, last, the police captured the boat, recovering a number of constabulary guns, ammunition and some money. They also buried Johnston, whose body was found in the boat. It is presumed that the crew intended to kill the outlaws and secure their money and arms.

POLICE ASKED TO FIND A.J.P.

Chicago, Oct. 14.--Murder for the sake of robbery, is believed to be the fate of H. H. Johnson, wealthy justice of the peace of Hampton, Ia., who disappeared in his city during centennial week. Police were asked today to solve mystery. Johnson, who is 35 years old, left his home, Sept. 28, and came to Chicago, to attend the centennial celebration after which he intended to sell here a large piece of property in South Dakota. His friends believe that he made the sale and received in payment a large amount of money for which he was held up and probably murdered.

STATUS OF CANAL IN BOGOTA.

Bogota, Colombia, Oct. 14.--The committee charged with drawing up a bill authorizing the president of the republic to negotiate a canal treaty with the United States, today presented its report to Congress. It provides that the last approval disapproves the extension of the concession for six years to the new Panama Canal Co. will have until the year 1910 to fulfill its obligations. The state will take up the bill on Monday.

LARARDO TOLEDO HAS GIVEN UP THE FIGHT.

Manila, Oct. 14.--Larardo Toledo, the insurrectionist, who has been operating in Albay for some time past, has surrendered with thirty of his men and ten guns. The only band now operating in the province of Albay is that commanded by Sarria, possessing, it is believed, some ten guns.

HAVE BIG ATTENDANCE.

Hartford, Conn., Oct. 14.--The convention of the International Association of Car Workers began here yesterday with 200 delegates in attendance. The association is affiliated with the American Federation of Labor and includes in its membership nearly all classes of workmen employed in the construction and maintenance of passenger and freight cars. The meetings are expected to last several days.

TIGHT SHOE OVER A CORN.

Causes Serious Condition for Millionaire Traction Owner. His Death Is Imminent.

Philadelphia, Oct. 14.--William Elkins the millionaire traction owner, is seriously ill at his country home at few miles from Philadelphia.

Mr. Elkins, it is said, is suffering from organic trouble and worry is added to his unsatisfactory physical condition.

It is also stated that Mr. Elkins' illness began with inflammation caused by a tight shoe irritating a corn on his toe. This trouble became so serious that at one time it was feared his leg would have to be amputated.

No one is permitted to see the patient and a physician is by his bedside constantly. A rumor was circulated that Mr. Elkins was dying but at his home the only announcement made was that his condition is extremely serious.

AWAITING A MAP.

London, Oct. 14.--The Alaskan boundary tribunal adjourned early this afternoon until Friday. The commissioners are awaiting a map showing the profile of the coast, which they have requested Messrs. Titman and King, the American and Canadian map experts, to draw up.

SULTAN LOSES SON.

Constantinople, Oct. 14.--Prince Ahmed Bedr Eddine, a younger son of the Sultan, died of pneumonia, yesterday.

DROVE INTO LITTLE TOWN.

Robbed the Postoffice, and Made Their Escape With a Good Bundle.

Peoria, Ill., Oct. 14.--Four men drove into the little town of Berwick, 8 miles west of Abingdon, early today, and going to the Farmer State bank, picked the lock of the front door. They then drilled the door of the vault and forced the combination, securing \$2,800. The explosion awakened a number of the residents of the town, who appeared on the scene at once to be covered by guns in the hands of the robbers, who held them at bay until they had loaded their booty into the rig and escaped. W. C. Tufts, president of the bank says the loss is fully covered by insurance.

FOUR CASES OF SMALLPOX.

Have Developed at Columbus Grove. Schools Closed and Every Precaution Taken.

Columbus Grove, O., Oct. 14.--Monday, several residents of this city were taken down with illness which resembled small pox. The state board of health was notified, and a representative of that body reached here this morning, and after examination, and consultation with local physicians, he pronounced it well defined smallpox. Four persons are affected. The local board of health has closed the public schools and every possible precaution is being taken to prevent any further spread of the pest.

TAFT WILL INTERVENE.

In Trouble Between Printer's Union and an Employe Who Was Dismissed.

Manila, Oct. 14.--Governor Taft has wired the war department that he will intervene with the Typographical Union committee appointed to investigate the charge that Geo. Tracy was dismissed from the foremanship of the Insular printing Bureau for promoting the formation of a union. He held that the evidence submitted shows that the action of the public printer impelled the failure of Tracy to fulfill the obligations as assumed at the time of his appointment and also his neglect of the duty involved by the obligation mentioned, to teach Filipinos the printing trade.

OLD PARTIES DIVIDE HONOR IN INDIANAPOLIS.

Indianapolis, Ind., Oct. 14.--Complete unofficial returns give Holtzman, democratic candidate for mayor, a plurality of 938. The democratic candidates for police judge and city clerk are probably elected by small majorities and the council is probably republican.

WILL DEPORT THEM.

Syracuse, N. Y., Oct. 14.--A special to the Herald from Malone, says:

"United States Commissioner of Immigration Robert Watchorn stationed at Montreal has denied admission to the United States to the twelve glass blowers held here, and has requested that they be taken to New York and deported to England. Unless the department at Washington decides against it, this course will be pursued.

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THE LAW TOO SLOW.

Montana Mob Makes Short Work of Demon Convicted of Murder.

Pleading Piteously for Mercy Masked Men Pull Him Cowering From His Cell, and Suspend Him to Electric Pole. Lynchers Are Unknown.

Hamilton, Mont., Oct. 14.—Walter Jackson, the convicted murderer of Fannie Buck, a six year old boy, was taken from the county jail here last night by a mob and lynched. Shortly before midnight, 75 masked men, all armed with rifles or shotguns, forced their way through the rear of the jail and overpowered Jailer Stephens, who was able to offer but slight resistance. Jackson was found clinging in the darkest portion of his cell. He pleaded piteously for mercy, but was rushed out into the street where the mob had already provided themselves with a rope. This was quickly thrown over an electric light pole and the noose placed about Jackson's neck. He was asked if he had any thing to say but only pleaded for mercy. The mob then pulled him into the air after which they dispersed. Not a shot was fired. The identity of the mob leaders is not known. Thirty-five minutes after the lynching, Jackson's body was cut down by the sheriff and coroner and moved to the morgue.

The murder of little Fannie Buck was a peculiarly atrocious crime. When the boy's body was found, it was horribly mutilated. Suspicion pointed to Jackson, and when he was arrested, a lynching was narrowly averted. His trial quickly followed, and a verdict was rendered within two hours. He was sentenced to be hanged, but his attorneys appealed to the supreme court. He was asked if he had any

ST. LOUIS FURNISHES SEA FOOD.

Stockton, Cal., Oct. 14.—A well dressed man, who gave his name as J. W. Enches and said he was from

FORAKER IS ON THE BOARD.

Annual Election of C. H. & D. Directors. Report Shows Fine Year's Business.

Cincinnati, Ohio, Oct. 14.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton Railroad Company was held yesterday afternoon. Over 120,000 shares of stock were represented. The terms of the proposed lease for 99 years of the Cincinnati, Findlay and Ft. Wayne Railroad Company lines arranged by the directors, were voted upon and approved. The vacancy in the board of directors caused by the death of Robert C. Schenck, of Dayton, Ohio, was filled by the election of the Hon. J. B. Foraker. The four directors whose terms expired, were re-elected. They are Henry F. Shoemaker, Rush Taggart, M. D. Woodford and F. H. Sherman. A resolution was adopted to make the quarterly dividend to be paid this month 1½ per cent. The gross earnings were \$7,997,223, operating expenses and taxes \$5,595,535, net earnings \$2,401,688; increase in gross earnings 12.72 per cent, in expenses 14.41 per cent, in net earnings 8.97 per cent.

Joseph Conyers who created the work. To play a part as well as part of Darlus Startle, the country detective, in Denman Thompson and give flesh and blood and soul to an George W. Ryer's "Our New Minister" author's creation, and to give pleasure to thousands of people, must indeed be a great happiness. Mr. Conyers reward an actor can have is from the work itself, from the love of doing forces, and is a sterling actor.

It Gives Strength

"Blood Wine" Made a New Person Out of An Old One.

quickly put on my feet. Its strengthening properties are astonishing. If people who are overworked, all played out and on the verge of physical breakdown, would take "Blood Wine," I believe they would soon be well again."

Mrs. Henry Brumley of New Haven, Conn., is an enthusiast over "Blood Wine." She says:

"Owing to the great benefits which I have derived from the use of your Blood Wine, I feel it my duty to make a statement concerning it, which you are at liberty to use as you see fit. I had been sick for about nine years, and was gradually growing weaker, when my attention was called to your remedy."

Without much faith in its efficacy I made a trial of it, as I had previously done with other remedies. My trouble was general debility, loss of strength, and wasting of body. About eighteen months ago I purchased my first bottle

of your Blood Wine and took it steadily thereafter. After taking three bottles I began to improve, and that improvement has continued down to the present day.

During this time I have gained twenty-five (25) pounds in weight, and the good health which I formerly enjoyed has entirely been restored. I have hesitated somewhat about subscribing my name to a testimonial which might be used for advertising purposes, but my sense of duty to other sufferers placed as I was has overcome all scruples in that direction, and you have my permission to use this testimonial any way that is likely to benefit the public."

This is Col. Abbott of Weymouth, R. I., probably the best known and most skilled decorator in New England, and who plans and executes the decorations for such gigantic affairs as the G. A. R. Encampments, Knights Templar Conventions, Presidential Tours, Centennials, World's Fairs, etc. He has had varied experience with medicines. Of "Blood Wine," he says: "A short time ago, after a very large and trying amount of work I found myself so completely used up and run down that I couldn't go on. I lacked strength, and couldn't sleep or eat to gain any. I was told to take 'Blood Wine,' which I did, and was

All Humors

Are impure matters which the skin, liver, kidneys and other organs can not take care of without help, there is such an accumulation of them. They litter the whole system.

Pimples, boils, eczema and other eruptions, loss of appetite, that tired feeling, bilious turns, fits of indigestion, dull headaches, and many other troubles are due to them.

Hood's Sarsaparilla and Pills

Remove all humors, overcome all their effects, strengthen, tone and invigorate the whole system.

"I had said rheum on my hands so that I could not work. I took Hood's Sarsaparilla and it drove out the humor. I continued its use till the sores disappeared." Mrs. Isa O. Brown, Runford Falls, Me.

Hood's Sarsaparilla promises to cure and keeps the promise.

ROOSTER HAD ON HIS SPURS.

Defending Himself He Drove One Through Master's Foot, Causing Death.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Oct. 14.—A game cock yesterday caused the death of John Gruener, of this city. The rooster had been fitted with a steel spur for fighting. While teasing the bird two weeks ago, Gruener thrust his foot towards it. In a vigorous defense, the spur was driven through Gruener's shoe. Lockjaw developed, and he died.

PROMINENT PEOPLE

Testify to the Efficacy of the New Scientific Dandruff Treatment.

A. E. Lanier, Denver, says: "Hericide has made my hair grow rapidly."

Mrs. A. Guerin, Great Falls, Mont., says: "I find Hericide an excellent dandruff cure."

H. Greenland, Portland, Ore., says: "Newborn's Hericide stopped my hair falling out."

J. H. Israel, Norton, Wash., says: "Hericide has completely cured my dandruff."

Charles Brown, president of First National Bank, Vancouver, Wash., says: "Hericide is noted for keeping the scalp clean."

Instituted upon the enameled. Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c in stamps for sample to The Hericide Co., Detroit, Mich.

FATHER HAS SWORN OUT

Warrant for Woman Who Is Believed to Have Thrown the Vitriol.

Springfield, O., Oct. 14.—The father of Crystal Little of Villay, this county, has sworn out a warrant for the arrest of a woman whom he claims was the one who threw the vitriol in his daughter's face Sunday evening.

According to the story of the father, the woman was maddened with the exposure of a clandestine love affair and was bent on revenge.

THE HOOSIER POET.

The tendencies of the times seem to indicate the reasons for the marvelous fame of James Whitcomb Riley. Again and again it has been said of him that "Of all living poets he is the most universally loved."

Those who looked upon his product lightly at first have found themselves almost involuntarily reading it over time after time, until within their hearts this truth has wrought itself, that no other poet has so universally suggested and emphasized the forces which lift the race into its new and higher life.

His books have run through many editions with no cessation in the demand. At the few public readings he has given during these last years thousands have flocked to hear him—such is the charm and pathos of his simple themes. Faurot opera house, Monday, October 19th. Seats, 25c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00. Boxes \$1.50.

BOTTLES MEET.

New Haven, Conn., Oct. 14.—The fifteenth annual convention of the Bottlers' Association of North America has convened here, with five hundred delegates from various parts of the country in attendance. No business except the routine business was attended to at the first session.

Can't be perfect in health without pure blood. Burdock Bitters makes pure blood. Tones and invigorates the whole system.

NEGRO HERE HAS BETTER

Chances for Education and Labor Than Poor of Europe Says Booker.

New York, Oct. 14.—Booker T. Washington, just back from a short vacation in Europe, has been welcomed home at a meeting of 3,000 negroes here. In responding to numerous addresses, he said the opportunities for education and labor for the negro here, are much better than the poorer classes get on the other side.

STATE SPEAKER.

Hon. H. W. Caldwell, of Dayton, O., will address the people of Lima, at assembly room, court house, Wednesday and Thursday evenings, Oct. 14 and 15. Subject, "Socialism vs Capitalism." Every laboring man should hear him, union or non-union.

RILEY'S LECTURE.

Every child in town knows that the poet of childhood is soon to be here and are anticipating a treat in hearing him, at Faurot opera house, Monday, October 19th.



Ely's Cream Balm
Easy and pleasant to use. Contains no injurious drug.
It is quickly absorbed. Gives relief at once.

10c a tube and cleanses the nasal passages. Alleviates inflammation.

Heals and protects the membrane. Restores the sense of taste and smell. Large size 10c a tube or 10c by mail.

ELY BROS., 66 Warren Street, New York.



Stolzenbach & Co.

FAUROT OPERA HOUSE

Wednesday, Oct. 14th,

Blondell & Fennessy's

Hurricane of Fun and Frolic,

The Katzenjammer Kids.

Don't miss them. Fun for the children.

Prices 25c, 35c and 50c. Seats on sale Tuesday, 9 a. m.

IMPORTANT

Owing to the fact that The Mammoth will retire from business, all persons owing accounts will please make immediate settlement.

All accounts not paid by October 20th, will be given for collection according to law.

The Mammoth
to Oct. 16

Extraordinary Bargain Sale. These Prices Tell the Story

Men's Suits and Overcoats.

All Suits and Overcoats worth \$6.50 to \$7.50 will be sold at	\$4.95
Men's \$8.00 and \$10.00 Suits and Overcoats	\$6.85
Men's Fine \$12.00 and \$13.50 Suits and Overcoats, sale price	\$8.75
Men's ultra fashionable Suits and Overcoats, worth \$15.00	\$9.50
Men's extra fine Suits and Overcoats, worth \$16.50 to \$18.00, sale price	\$11.45
Men's \$20.00 and \$22.00 Suits and Overcoats, sale price	\$14.50

Men's very finest hand-tailored \$25.00 and \$30.00 Suits and Overcoats, including any garment in the store	\$16.85
Boys' Suits and Overcoats	\$3.45
\$5.00 Boys' Suits and Overcoats	5.00
7.50 Boys' Suits and Overcoats	7.50
10.00 Boys' Suits and Overcoats	10.00
12.50 Boys' Suits and Overcoats	12.50
15.00 Boys' Suits and Overcoats	15.00
18.00 Boys' Suits and Overcoats	18.00
20.00 Boys' Suits and Overcoats	20.00

Children's Suits and Overcoats.

A lot of Children's Knee Pants Suits with vest, sizes 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8; worth \$1.00 to \$6.00 at 1/2 regular prices.

A lot of Children's Reverses and Short Box Overcoats at 1/2 of regular prices.

Children's Double-breasted Sailor and Norfolk Suits.

\$2.00 Suits and Overcoats	\$1.25
2.50 Suits and Overcoats	1.65
3.00 Suits and Overcoats	1.85
3.50 Suits and Overcoats	2.25
4.00 Suits and Overcoats	2.90
5.00 Suits and Overcoats	3.85
6.00 Suits and Overcoats	4.25

Boys' Suits and Overcoats.

25c and 35c Knee Pants	18c
50c Knee Pants	39c
75c Knee Pants	55c
Boys' 50c Dress Shirts	25c
Boys' 75c Dress Shirts	35c
Boys' 50c Sweaters	88c
Boys' 75c Sweaters	99c
Boys' \$1.00 Sweaters	1.12
Boys' 150 Black Hose	9c
Boys' 200 Black Hose	12c
Boys' 250 Black Hose	18c

Shoes, Felts and Rubbers.

Children's Rubbers, worth 35c	22c

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DEATH

**Of Jas. L. Kemper
Was Sudden,**

Having Been

**Ill But Nine Days With
Cramps.**

**South Lima Man Sues the
City of Chicago for
\$20,000.**

**Daniel Frantz's Illness of Serious
Nature—The Base Ball Season
Nearly Ended—Local
Happenings.**

Another aged and well known south side resident has passed from our midst.

Yesterday afternoon at 3:45, death relieved the sufferings of James L. Kemper, of west Kirby street, near Main, after an illness of nine days from purious cholera, aged 74 years.

Mr. Kemper was well known here, having lived at 642 south Elizabeth street, a number of years, and was a carpenter by profession. He was born in Perry county, Ohio, September 8, 1829, and was married to Miss Mary A. Cameron in 1850. To this union four children were born, but only one survives the father, Mrs. Friend DeVoe, of south Elizabeth street. A wife and two brothers, W. H. Kemper, of south West street, and J. W. Kemper, of Continental, Ohio, and one sister, Mrs. J. W. Shaw, of Chicago, also survive.

Mr. Kemper was a soldier of the Civil war, having served with the fourth Ohio. He was also a member of the Masonic Lodge, and the funeral services will be under the auspices of that order.

The funeral will be held at Grace church Thursday afternoon at one o'clock, Rev. Peter Biggs, assisted by Rev. W. J. Hagerman, officiating.

Lima Man vs. Chicago.

In a few days E. E. Shaffer, who has charge of the night trick in the target house at the intersection of the Erie and C. H. & D. railroads, will, with his family, go to Chicago to attend court. Five years ago Mr. Shaffer

HAND IN HAND.

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You are doubtful, it will only cost you

the price of a postal card TO DISPEL THAT DOUBT.

It is a matter of absolute indifference

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ing you relief; write your full name

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Troy, N. Y., and you will receive

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vince you of its rapid relieving powers,

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ale by Wm. M. McElveen, druggist.

er sustained an injury by falling from which he has never fully recovered. The accident happened at the corner of Harrison and Clark streets in that city, in front of property owned by the mayor of Chicago, Carter Harrison. Mr. Shaffer brought suit against the city for \$20,000, and the case will be called within a few days.

Something Warm.

Men's heavy fleeced Underwear, double front and back, at 50c each, \$1 a suit.

Heavy fleeced, single front and back at 35c each, 75c a suit.

J. S. SMITH, 707 south Main.

Last Game Called. Next Sunday, Maxwell's Americans and the Arcades will play the last game of the season at the Haller Street grounds.

Near Death's Door.

South side people will be sorry to learn that Daniel Frantz, who conducted a meat market on south Main street, and who also runs a dairy, is near death's door. Mr. Frantz is a sufferer from cancer. His physicians and friends despair of his recovery.

Local Saying and Doing.

Rev. E. A. Carl, of Marietta, O., was the guest of J. J. Miller and family, on east Kirby street, today. The reverend was enroute to Toledo, where the Unitarians hold a conference tomorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hutchinson, of south West street, have returned from a visit at Dunkirk.

Court Lima, Foresters, meet tomorrow night at the I. O. O. F. hall, corner Kirby and Main streets.

Conductor F. S. Smith, of Madison avenue, is on the sick list.

Perry Glasgow, of east Eureka street, is still in a critical condition.

It will pay you to look at Gilmore's heating stoves, the best in the city for the money, 636 south Main street. Open every evening till 8 o'clock.

312-tu-wed-fr-sat but better than he was yesterday.

Mrs. John Serfoss, of Eaton Rapids, Mich., is visiting her niece, Mrs. D. Baker, of 601 south West street.

Curbing is being laid on west Circumferential street; paving will follow.

Another room is being added to the Lake Erie round house, on the east end.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Price, of Columbus, are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. James Lewis, on south Main street.

Mrs. Wm. Bellis, Mrs. Wm. McCall, Mrs. Sarah Schwartz, Mrs. H. H. Laubach; and Mrs. H. F. Maxwell and son, all of Oil City, Pa., who were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. DeVoe of Greenlawn avenue, returned home today.

Now is the time to paint. See Gilmore, the south side hardware man, for the paint to have when you have to paint.

12-ft-twf-sat

Charley Baker, of south Elizabeth street, who has been quite ill with typhoid fever, is convalescing rapidly.

This morning, Aaron Albert, of south Pine street, and Rev. Carl Ackerman, went to Circleville, O., as delegates to the Lutheran conference. Mr. Albert will also visit his father at Somerset, who will reach the ninth milestone of life this month.

STILL GOING.

Cleveland, O., Oct. 14.—The automobile endurance test was resumed this morning at 7 o'clock when R. N. Stearns in his 20-ton car lead the way on the run from Cleveland to Youngstown, a distance of about 70 miles by wagon road. Car No. 5, with Webb Jay as driver, followed Stearns closely, and the others all got away within a half hour after the leader started.

The automobiles will spend today in Youngstown and tomorrow will cover the last section of the run to Pittsburgh. The weather today was clear and cool and the road is in good condition.

ANOTHER LAWLESS GANG.

Jamesstown, N. D., Oct. 14.—A mob has entered the office of the Journal at Konsal, spilled several cases of type in the street and wrecked the interior of the offices. Editor C. L. Allen has been fighting a lawless element in his paper, and it is believed the members of that gang perpetrated the outrage.

CAUSE OF LOCKJAW.

Lockjaw, or tetanus, is caused by a bacillus or germ which exists plentifully in street dirt. It is inactive so long as exposed to the air, but when carried beneath the skin, as in the wound caused by percussion caps or rusty nails, and when the air is excluded the germ is roused to activity and produces the most virulent poison known. These germs may be destroyed and all danger of lockjaw avoided by applying Chamberlain's Pain Balm freely as soon as the injury is received. Pain Balm is an antiseptic and causes cuts, bruises and like injuries to heal without maturation and in one-third the time required by the usual treatment. It is for sale by all druggists.

WRECKED BY OPEN SWITCH.

Elizabeth City, N. C., Oct. 14.—The south bound Norfolk and Southern passenger train was wrecked here yesterday by an open switch and engineer Wm. Seay received injuries about the head that caused his death shortly afterwards. The engine and caboose car, which turned over, were badly damaged and the track torn up for a considerable distance. A sharp curve close to the switch prevented the engineer from seeing the signal in time to stop the train. The fireman jumped from the car and the engineer stuck to his post.

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No other corset can take the place of the W. B. Erect Form.

The sedentary indoor life of winter is conducive to a sluggish condition of blood and eliminating organs—poisons and waste matter are retained after they should be thrown off.

Hagee's Cordial of Cod Liver Oil (with Hippophae) should be taken in cases of winter sluggishness. It makes healthy vigor, enriches the blood, tones up all the organs and feeds impoverished nerves.

It cures the conditions which cause weak lungs, bronchitis, consumption, catarrhal conditions, nervousness, indigestion, mal-assimilation.

Hagee's Cordial is a thin, palatable fluid cordial pleasant to taste and smell.

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GOVERNMENT TAKES HAND.

SALOONIST ARRESTED ON CHARGE OF SELLING LIQUOR WHICH CAUSED INDIAN MURDERS.

Browning, Mont., Oct. 14.—The authorities on the Blackfoot reservation have arrested Jack Williamson, on a charge of having violated the law in selling whisky, which led to the murder there Sunday. At the preliminary hearing before the United States commissioner, Williamson waived examination and was held to the United States grand jury in \$1,000 bond, which he secured. Nothing has been learned of the suspected murderers.

Tricuit at Smith's. 241

TROUBLE IS CAUSED BY BIG BUSINESS.

San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 14.—The Call says: "Nearly 4,000 carloads of freight destined for eastern markets are lying along the lines of the Southern Pacific Co., in this state, and its officials have so far failed to devise a means of moving them. Unless some immediate method of relieving the congestion is found, the situation will develop into a serious one. The trouble is attributed to unexpected business and to lack of sufficient locomotives."

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Backed by experience, is of double value, and for that reason the opportunity to invest your savings in the Lima Savings Bank & Trust Co. bank should not be missed. We have the experience and know the value of money when it's needed, and when we have its care it is always at your command. We pay 4 per cent. interest.

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mar or make the face beautiful as the teeth are defective or missing, or on the other hand, sound and pearly. When nature fails, call us in to aid in restoring teeth—hence the smile—to pristine beauty. None need suffer from bad teeth or their appearance if our knowledge, skill and experience in dental work are consulted. Prices lowest in city for first class dental work.

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For Governor,
TOM L. JOHNSON,
of Cuyahoga County.

For Lieutenant Governor,
FRANK B. NILES,
of Lucas County.

For Supreme Judge,
EDWARD J. DEMPSEY,
of Hamilton County.

For Attorney General,
FRANK S. MONNETT,
of Franklin County.

For Treasurer of State,
V. J. DAHL,
of Fayette County.

For Auditor of State,
CHARLES A. KLOEB,
of Mercer County.

For School Commissioner,
J. H. SECREST,
of Putnam County.

For Member of Board of Public Works,
T. H. B. JONES,
of Lawrence County.

For United States Senator,
JOHN H. CLARKE,
of Cuyahoga County.

DISTRICT TICKET.

For State Senators,
STEPHEN D. CRITES,
THOMAS M. BERRY.

For Common Pleas Judges,
STEPHEN A. ARMSTRONG,
WILLIAM CUNNINGHAM.

COUNTY TICKET.

For Representative,
JOHN W. MANGUS,
of Richland Township.

For Sheriff,
EUGENE J. BARR,
of Lima.

For Treasurer,
MINOR C. CROSSLEY,
of Lima.

For Commissioner,
ALEXANDER L. CONRAD,
of Bluffton.

For Surveyor,
CHARLES E. CRAIG,
of Monroe Township.

For Coroner,
DR. ANDREW W. BICE,
of Lima.

For Infirmary Director,
C. H. MOSIER,
of Marion Township.

THE WEATHER.

Washington Oct. 14--Forecasts for
Ohio--Fair tonight; rain Thursday.

LIMA LODGE NO. 205, F. & A. M.

41 members are requested to meet at
Masonic hall, tomorrow (Thursday) at 12 o'clock sharp, for the pur-
pose of attending the funeral of our
late brother, J. L. Kemper. Members
of Garrett Wyckoff Lodge No. 585
F. & A. M., are also requested to at-
tend.

CHAS. W. LEWIS W. M.
WALLACE LANDIS Secy.

LIMA LODGE NO. 205, F. & A. M.

Social communion tomorrow
evening (Thursday); work on Master
Mason degree.

CHAS. W. LEWIS W. M.
WALLACE LANDIS Secy.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dixon,
1023 west Spruce street, a daughter.

A fine musical and oratorical pro-
gram at Lima college tonight. Come.

"Miss Blocher's readings were well
chosen and were rendered with that
natural east and charm which one al-
ways enjoys in a reader, whenever a
reader can read that way. Not all

can."--Weymouth Heights, Mass.

Lima College.

PUBLIC LIBRARY
HAD THRIVING YEAR.

Miss Medora Freeman, who has
capably and satisfactorily filled the
position of Librarian to the public
library has submitted the following as
her annual report.

To the Board of Trustees of the
Lima Public Library Ladles and Gentlemen:

The second annual report of the
Lima Public Library is herewith sub-
mitted.

The second year's work of the Pub-
lic Library closed September 21, 1903.

There are now in the Library 3458
volumes, 780 volumes having been ad-
ded this year. Of these, 197 volumes
were donated, the rest purchased from
various bookdealers. We have had
247 volumes rebound, and 48
volumes of magazines bound. 4 vol-
umes have been discarded, too dil-
apidated to be sent to the bindery. 4
volumes have been lent and not re-
turned, 2 of them paid for by the
person responsible for them; 2 vol-
umes have been taken from the li-
brary without being charged, and
have not been returned. These we
cannot trace.

The library force consists of the
Librarian, Miss Medora Freeman, and
assistant, Miss Martha Gamble, both
of whom have been in the library
since it first opened.

The library has been open on 307
days of the year, being closed on Sun-
day's and legal holidays. During July
and August, the library was closed in
the evenings, except on Monday's and
Saturdays. It is again open six even-
ings a week, the circulating depart-
ment until 8 o'clock, the reading and
reference room until 9 o'clock.

There have been 35,376 volumes is-
sued for home use, an increase of
3,953 volumes over last year. The
number of books issued for use in the
reading room, and the number of re-
ference books used have not been re-
corded.

The average daily circulation has
been 115 volumes, an increase over
last year of 11 volumes. The largest
single day's issue was on Saturday,

April 4, 1903, when 267 volumes were
issued, the smallest was on Septem-
ber 26, 1902, and June 21, 1903, when 52
volumes were issued. The largest
month's circulation was 3,518 vol-
umes in March; the smallest 2,611
volumes in October.

This year 746 borrowers' cards have
been issued, making the total num-
ber of borrowers now 2,498.

In November 1902, the ladies of
Lima issued a special edition of the
Republican-Gazette, the proceeds of
which were to be used for the pur-
chase of new books, and to start a
fund toward the purchase of a site
for the offered Carnegie Library build-

To Leave the Road.

Two prominent trainmen, who have
been doing service on one of the local
lines for a number of years, will
shortly sever their connection and
move from Lima. Both are popular
on and off the road, and their depart-
ure will be learned of with regret. At
present, their names will have to be
guessed at.

Newspaper of the C. H. & D.
General Supt. Turner, of Cincinnati
was in the city yesterday, and left in
the evening to look after some affairs
in connection with the Findlay divi-
sion.

H. H. Swift, master car builder, ac-
companied by his wife, is on a leave
of absence, and is visiting in Kansas
City.

Supt. Cory has returned from Cin-
cinnati, where he went for a confer-
ence with J. F. Walsh, superintendent
of motive power of the Chesapeake &
Ohio, regarding an interchange of
cars.

Master Mechanic J. E. Gould, O. H.
Oell, Geo. F. Hitch and Herbert Mil-
ler, spent Sunday at the Lewistown
reservoir. They were unable to find a
camera large enough to photograph
the result of the day's catch.

Engine 453, used on the Wellston
division, has been brought to the
Lima shops for a general overhauling.

Henry Shubert, machine foreman,
and Moses Tyler, enjoyed the Knight
Templar's conclave at Cleveland.

Supt. Floeter, accompanied Gen.
Supt. Turner on his trip over the
Findlay, Ft. Wayne and Western, yes-
terday, and the Ft. Wayne Sentinel
speaks of them being in that city
last night.

How the Pennsylvania Does It.

The Pennsylvania is not following
out the plans of some other roads in
cutting down its force of employees,
and shortening the hours of others.

An official in Lima stated yesterday
evening, that there had been an in-
crease in the force at the Ft. Wayne

shops of 30 per cent and a night shift
would be kept going all winter.

Carried the Big Tent.

The "campaign car" meeting the
outfit for the big tent meetings of

STILL

Has His Grip on
the Road

And the East

Hasn't Lost Interest in
Col. Hobart.

The C. & L. M. Is Down on
the Map to Stay and Will
Soon Be Completed.

News of the Railroads of Interest
to the Men Who Build Them
as Well as to Those Who
Help in Their Operation.

Col. Hobart returned to Lima yester-
day after two weeks' spent in New
York and Boston, in the interest of
the C. & L. M. railroad. The colonel

is not blowing very big horn in re-
gard to the completion and extension
of the line in which he is so greatly
interested, but every day brings the
project nearer to reality. He accom-
plished what he went to the money
centers of the country for, and work
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the Mammoth.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Ettinger have
moved from south Main street to 523
west Wayne street, in the property
owned by Mrs. Ettinger's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bangs, of Chil-
licothe, were the guests yesterday and
today of the latter's sister, Mrs. W. H.
McKenzie, of 741 west North street,
stopping on their way to Tecumseh,
Mich.

Mrs. J. O. Ohler, left this morning
for a visit in Columbus.

Mrs. E. E. Dunau and Miss M. F.
Riley, were entertained at a 6 o'clock
dinner last night, by Mrs. R. T. Hughes
and Mrs. I. Detwiler.

Miss Kit Welsh, spent Sunday in
Cleveland, the guest of Mr. Turner.
The Misses Lulu and May Daizell
and Mr. Walter Holmes, spent Sun-
day in Elida hickory nutting.

Miss Lydia Benedict and Miss Irene
Friedly, have returned from Cleve-
land, Gallon and Bucyrus, O., after a
pleasant visit with friends.

Mrs. Belle Ferguson and daughter
of Napoleon, have returned
home after a pleasant visit with Mrs.
T. W. Hollinger, of Harrison avenue.

Mr. John O'Brien, the new assis-
tant general manager of the Buckeye
Pipe Line Co., arrived in the city, this
morning.

Robert Parmenter, is at Ft. Wayne
today, on business.

J. H. Sifford, of 636 north Main
street, is ill, threatened with a fever.

Mrs. W. E. Penny, of west High-
street, left today to visit her mother,
at Battle Creek, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gillette, left to-
day for their home in Philadelphia,
after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. E.
Penny.

Mrs. E. J. Coffin, who has been visit-
ing her daughter Mrs. C. F. Lukin for
four months, leaves for home Fri-
day.

ANOTHER CINCINNATI EXCUR-
SION.

On Sunday, Oct. 18th the C. H. & D.
Ry. will have another \$1.50 excursion.
Good on trains leaving Lima at 2:10
and 6:50 a. m.

CACTORIA.

Bear the
Signature
of
C. H. & D. Ry.

Lipton's Mocha and Java coffee at
Smita's 2-4.

Dress Goods Week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Bluem, 55-57
Public Square, Lima, O., are offering
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This should be the busiest week of the season
in our Dress Goods Section; stock at its very
best; outfitting time here, and prices most rea-
sonable.

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BLACK DRESS GOODS.

Satin Broadcloths of course, for the
finest tailored gowns, but for the serviceable

tailored tailor-made Suit, the rough Zebe-
lines, silky Camel's Hair and the roughish

Cheviots are in high favor.

Black Broadcloth, 54 inch, for \$1.

Black Broadcloth, 54 inch, for \$1.25.

Black Eal skin cloth, 54 inch, for \$1.25.

Better Broadcloths at \$1.50 to \$3.50
per yard.

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good condition at Union Clothing & Shoe Co. 3-31

WANTED—Two dining room girls at Home Restaurant. 3-31

WANTED—Three or four good men to work. Inquire at Selfridge Handle Factory tomorrow morning at 6:30 o'clock. 13-31

WANTED—Traveling salesmen, salary and expenses to sell our monkey and pipe wrenches. Must take stock. Address M. G. Ewens, Battle Creek, Mich. Box 2422. 26-27

WANTED—Two girls at once at H Baumgardner, 958 south Main street. 1-31

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Storage room at the Columbia shoe store. It

FOR RENT—One 6 room house Custer and city water. Inside toilet. Good neighborhood. 954 east High street. 2-27

FOR RENT—Modern house at 740 west Market street. Possession git in at once. Enquire of O. B. Selridge at Times Democrat office. 12-31

FOR RENT—A five room flat, with steam heat, hot and cold water, modern. Located on west High street. Rent \$22.00 per month. Call at C. H. Adkins' law office, Purtzer block. 12-31

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Second hand bicycle in lot 50x189 on south Baxter street, only \$200 if sold at once. L. C. Binkley, room 1 Harper block. It

ANNA CLIZBIE, Secy.

A BARGAIN.

Lot 50x189 on south Baxter street, only \$200 if sold at once. L. C. Binkley, room 1 Harper block. It

CHANGES

Being Made in the Police Department.

C. W. Fenstemaker Promoted to Detective Force.

Department Now Has Nineteen Men, Including Two City Detectives.

Beats of Patrolmen to Be Arranged.

After conferences with Mayor Robb and the board of public safety, Chief of Police Mills has promoted Patrolman C. W. Fenstemaker to the position of second city detective and that efficient officer, today reported for duty in civilian costume. He will assist Detective Hugh Patton in the "sleuth" department and his past record proves him well qualified for the position.

Within a few days the patrolmen beats will be rearranged in a manner intended to improve the efficiency of the department. The police department now has a force of nineteen men.

Mayor Robb has gone to northern Michigan on a business trip and President George Newson, of the city council will serve as mayor for a few days.

The action came into court on a petition for damages brought by Mr. Daniels, who is a resident of New York, and he claims that through violation of a contract he is entitled to recover \$3,105. The defendant's are Lewis S. Justus, Herbert J. North and Edward J. Hopkins, partners in the firm known as the Celina Hoop Company, and they complain of a failure to deliver the goods to the amount originally bargained for which was to have been two million at the figures of fered.

The market price as compared with Celina and New York together with the freight rates enter into the controversy which offers attorneys on both sides a chance to raise technical questions. Atty. Chilender of Toledo is assisted by Judge Richter on behalf of the plaintiffs and Judge Brotherton and W. H. Leete represent the defendants.

Another Day.

What promises to be a short and uninterested session of the grand jury has developed into something different and each day prolongs the agony. It is certain that an investigation has been demanded outside of the registered number of cases in the hands of the prosecuting attorney and it is hard to tell just where the lightning will strike. The only indication of something other than appears on the surface is the new list of witnesses filed with the county clerk but what the investigation may develop into is mere speculation.

The grand jury is a secret and honorable body and the oath as a general thing is kept inviolate. Whatever has been divulged comes from the witness and they as a rule are unable to define the issue or predict the outcome.

Real Estate Transfers.

Ira Flinckle to A. C. Hover, inlot 5144 Melly's west Wayne street addition \$500.

Albert M. Harrod to Novel T. Henders, inlots 81, 82, 83, 84, 85 and 86, Harrod, \$300.

Katie E. Sible to Board of Education of Lima inlots 2381, 2382 and 2383 J. D. Watts addition, \$1200.

A. C. Hover to J. T. Bowman, inlot 5144 Melly's addition, \$600.

Henry Sanders to Katharine Sanders inlot 286 Delphos \$1 and other considerations.

John and Hester Fuller to Burt Colt 40 acres in Spencer township, \$3,500.

South Side Building & Loan to Andrew Sprankle, inlot 4546 Van Dyke's auction, \$1,900.

N. J. Hinebaugh to Catharine A. Clark, inlot 226 Lakewood addition \$330.

NOTICE LADIES AID SOCIETY

of north Jefferson street Mission will meet at the home of Mrs. Wm. Hughe

s. Thursday afternoon. Business of importance. By order of secretary

I. O. O. F.

All members of Shannec Lodge are

requested to meet in their hall at 7:30 o'clock for practice.

JURY

Has a Case Now on Trial

And the Court

Has the Knotty Points to Untangle.

Celina Hoop Company Is Defendant in an Action for Damages.

Grand Jury Still Hangs Fire But the Indications Are That a Report Will Be Made Tomorrow Morning.

The petit jury had no chance for escape today and without close examination into relationship or possible prejudice, was held to bring in a verdict in the case of Morris S. Daniels vs. Lewis S. Justus.

The action came into court on a petition for damages brought by Mr. Daniels, who is a resident of New York, and he claims that through violation of a contract he is entitled to recover \$3,105. The defendant's are Lewis S. Justus, Herbert J. North and Edward J. Hopkins, partners in the firm known as the Celina Hoop Company, and they complain of a failure to deliver the goods to the amount originally bargained for which was to have been two million at the figures of fered.

The market price as compared with Celina and New York together with the freight rates enter into the contro

versy which offers attorneys on both

sides a chance to raise technical ques

tions. Atty. Chilender of Toledo is as

sisted by Judge Richter on behalf of the

plaintiffs and Judge Brotherton and

W. H. Leete represent the defendants.

Another Day.

What promises to be a short and un

interested session of the grand jury has

developed into something differ

ent and each day prolongs the agony.

It is certain that an investigation has

been demanded outside of the regis

tered number of cases in the hands of

the prosecuting attorney and it is

hard to tell just where the lightning

will strike. The only indication of

something other than appears on the

surface is the new list of witnesses

filed with the county clerk but what

the investigation may develop into is

mere speculation.

The grand jury is a secret and hon

orable body and the oath as a general

thing is kept inviolate. Whatever has

been divulged comes from the witness

and they as a rule are unable to

define the issue or predict the outcome.

Real Estate Transfers.

Ira Flinckle to A. C. Hover, inlot

5144 Melly's west Wayne street addi

tion \$500.

Albert M. Harrod to Novel T. Henders,

inlots 81, 82, 83, 84, 85 and 86, Harrod,

\$300.

Katie E. Sible to Board of Education of Lima inlots 2381, 2382 and 2383 J. D. Watts addition, \$1200.

A. C. Hover to J. T. Bowman, inlot

5144 Melly's addition, \$600.

Henry Sanders to Katharine Sanders

inlot 286 Delphos \$1 and other considera

tions.

John and Hester Fuller to Burt

Colt 40 acres in Spencer township,

\$3,500.

South Side Building & Loan to An

drew Sprankle, inlot 4546 Van Dyke's

auction, \$1,900.

N. J. Hinebaugh to Catharine A.

Clark, inlot 226 Lakewood addition

\$330.

NOTICE LADIES AID SOCIETY

of north Jefferson street Mission will

meet at the home of Mrs. Wm. Hughe

s. Thursday afternoon. Business of impor

tance. By order of secretary

I. O. O. F.

All members of Shannec Lodge are

requested to meet in their hall at 7:30

o'clock for practice.

CAPTAIN

PLEASANT SURPRISE.

Last evening, the home of Mr. and

Mrs. W. E. King, 1034 Reece avenue

from 6 until 9, was the scene of a

merry event when eighteen little

friends of their daughter Miss Nora,

came to join her in celebrating her

12th anniversary. She was the reci

piant of many pretty and useful gifts.

The evening was spent in games and

music, until 8 o'clock when supper

was announced, after which they

departed for their homes, wishing her

many more happy anniversaries.

Anniversary

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We are celebrating our 14th Business Anniversary all this week with a great satisfaction-giving sale.



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We absolutely guarantee satisfaction in every purchase you make here. We mention only a small portion of the many bargains to be had:

Black Dress Goods.

44 inch black wool Granite Cloth sale price 85c yd
46 inch black wool Ladies' Cloth sale price 43c yd
44 inch black wool Prunella worth \$1.50, sale price
\$1.15 yd
48 inch black wool Pluette, worth \$1 yd, sale price
85c yd
42 inch fancy Brillantine, regular price \$1.25, now
79c yd
21 inch fancy Velveteen, in black and blue the proper thing for a fancy waist extra value at
69c yd

Colored Dress Goods.

46 inch heavy Granite Cloth, sale price 69c yd
42 inch wool myrtle green Henrietta, only 59c yd
42 inch wool navy blue Henrietta, only 59c yd
42 inch wool navy blue Serge sale price 39c yd
36 inch wool cloth fancy mixtures sale price 41c yd
One lot plain and fancy dress goods suitable for
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Our widths are measured with a tape line that does not stretch.

Cloaks.

Children's coats ages 3 to 6 lined and interlined
\$2.25
Children's coats ages 6 to 14 heavy Zibeline \$5.00
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Children's heavy Melton Coats 8 to 14 at \$3.98
Ladies' Coats in black and castor full satin lined
an exceptional value at \$10.00

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COUNCIL MET AND REVOKED

Its Action Transferring Water Works Funds to Sinking Fund Trustees.

Solicitor Bentley Thinks Former Action Was Illegal, and That Contest Would Cost City More Than Could Be Saved.

As stated exclusively in the Times-Democrat, yesterday, there was a special session of the city council last night to consider what disposition should be made of the communication City Solicitor Bentley had received from Mr. J. D. S. Neely, relative to the handling of the water works fund by the sinking fund trustees.

All members of the body were present and immediately President Newson requested the clerk to read a resolution repealing the resolution passed a few weeks since, turning over \$75,000 of the \$150,000 derived from the sale of water works bonds, to the sinking fund trustees, and ordering them to return to the city treasurer, at once, the full amount, on the ground that the passage of the original resolution was an illegal act, and one that could not be sustained.

Member Smith asked for the solicitor's opinion, and in answer, Mr. Bentley in substance said: Owing to delay in the construction of a new water works system, the board of public service and the sinking fund trustees evidently conceived the plan, and a good business one it was, of re-investing the money derived from the sale of bonds, and saving a portion of the interest the city is now paying, was opposed to it, solely on the ground that it was not legal. The sinking fund trustees were created to handle the sinking fund, and that only, and for that only do they give bond. But the trustees thought it good business, so I took it up with the attorney general, who said he could see nothing illegal, but he is not the attorney for Lima, and knows no

more about the legality of the act than many another lawyer.

Then came notice through Cable & Carpenter, for Mr. J. D. S. Neely, that the passage of the resolution and the subsequent turning over of the funds to the sinking fund trustees was illegal throughout, and that unless I brought injunction proceedings, they would. This meant heavy attorney fees and costs for the city, no matter whether I brought the suit, or Mr. Neely, and possibly some such motive actuated the notification.

As a law proposition, I say to council its action was illegal. As a business proposition, it was a good one, and I believe the taxpayers of Lima will so appreciate it, and that the motive actuating this body was for the best interests of the people at large. I, however, say to you, that the expense attached to a fight to sustain your former position will cost the city more than will be saved in interest on the bonds, and I recommend that you repeal your former action, and order the money recovered to the city treasurer. Mr. Cable did not attack the motive which actuated the council, but there is a motive back of the threatened action. Like Cleveland said: "There is a condition" confronting us, and we must meet it.

In response to questions from Mr. Rudy as to whether the sinking fund trustees had invested any of the funds, and what would be the situation if they refused to return them, the solicitor said \$15,000 had been expended for city bonds, and that the trustees would have to return the money if council so ordered.

Short addresses were made by each member of the council, explaining that his vote for the original resolution, transferring the money, was done for the purpose of economy, after which the resolution ordering the re-transfer was passed by a full year vote.

The maintenance bond of contractor Mulligan for the improvement of Cole and Jameson avenue was accepted.

An ordinance authorizing City Auditor Bear to advertise for bids from banks and trust companies to act as depository for public funds, was read, the text of which will be published later.

The ordinance passed by a full year vote.

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If made of stone or concrete the extreme length will be 236 feet with a clear way for roadway and sidewalks of 46 feet, and an approximate height of 26 feet. Bidders may submit proposals on any or all plans on file for the stone or concrete structures, and may also submit proposals for the steel superstructure alone, or its substructure alone, or on both; and they may also, if they so desire, submit their own plans for the substructure with prices for same. Each bidder for the steel structure must clearly set forth the number and length of spans, the nature and quality of material for same, together with a strain sheet showing stresses and sections of members, and also the ultimate strength of iron and steel proposed and the unit strains used in the calculations of the different members and the safe load which the structure is designed to carry. The regular bids will be considered as for a three-inch white oak floor on the roadway, and a two inch pine floor on the sidewalks, but each bidder must also submit with each plan presented, a separate price for the same design proportioned to carry a paved floor of concrete and brick. All bids must be addressed to O. J. Rose, clerk of said board, and must be accompanied by a certified check on a Lima, Ohio, bank, payable to the order of said O. J. Rose, in the sum of \$500.00 as a guarantee that if the work is awarded to him he will enter into proper and acceptable contract and bond for the faithful performance of the work within ten days from the date of such award, otherwise the same will be forfeited to the city of Lima, Ohio, as liquidated damages. The contract will not be awarded until after the plan has been selected as indicated, and proper funds have been appropriated to cover the costs thereof. The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

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Oct. 14-21
O. J. ROSE, Clerk.

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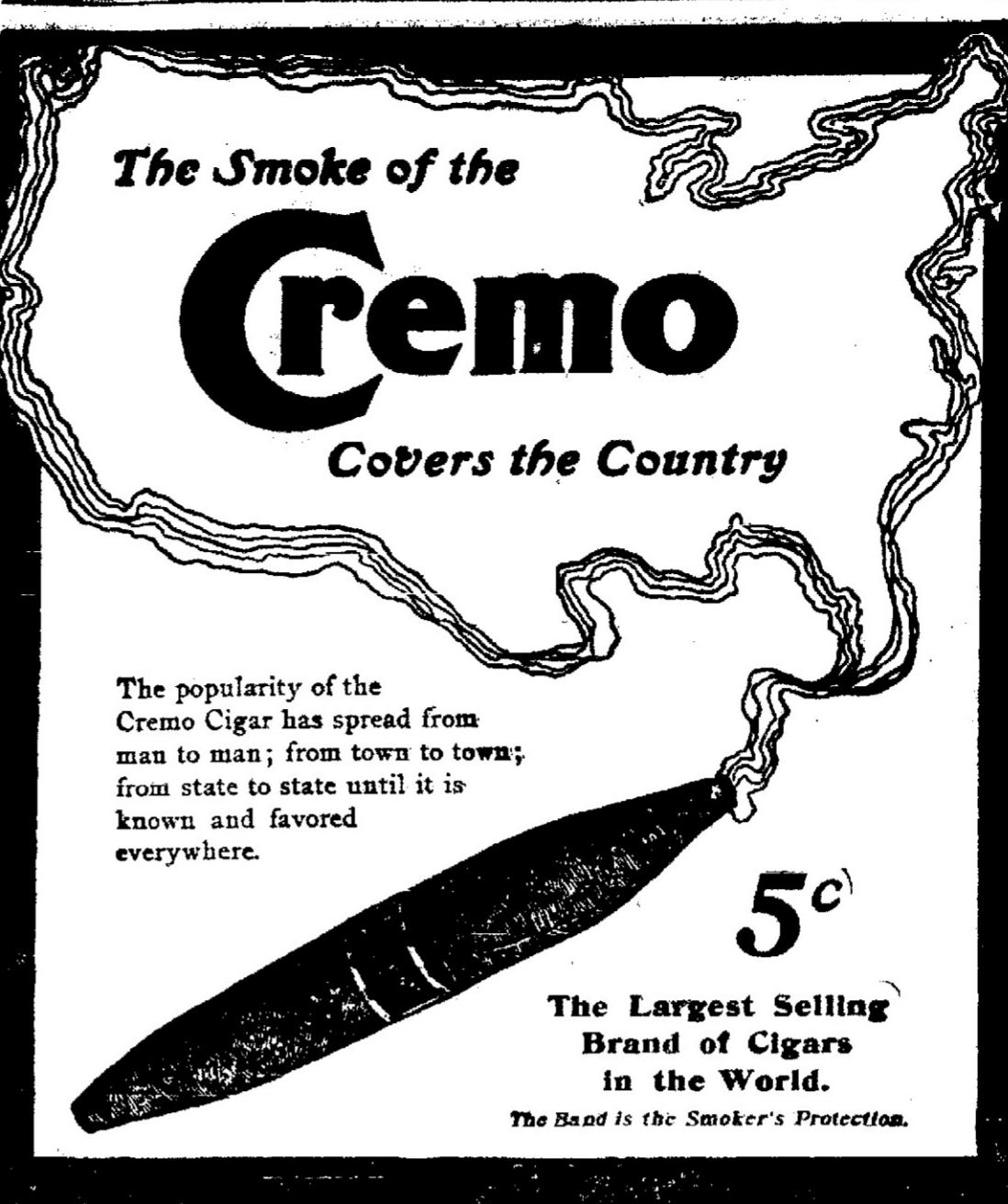
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YOUNG WIFEHOOD

BOSTON, MASS., 152 Shawmut Ave., Oct. 25, 1902.
After I had been married about four months I felt my health generally decline. I seemed to lose the right step and dragged weary along instead. My appetite failed me and I lost health and strength. I was nervous and had shooting pains through my limbs and stomach while bearing down pains and constant headaches added to my misery. The menstrual flow became more and more profuse and I was unfit to attend to my daily duties. My husband called in three different physicians and I took enough medicine to kill or cure a dozen women, but it all had no effect on me whatever, until I took Wine of Cardui. In a few days I felt a change for the better, my general health improved and at the next time of my periods my flow was more natural and I was in less pain. Gradually I recovered my health and am now in perfect health. I take an occasional dose of Wine of Cardui which keeps me well.

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MONUMENTS.Ten to Soldiers and One to the Memory
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monuments erected on Antietam bat-
tledfield by the state of Ohio, including
the one to the memory of President
McKinley were dedicated yesterday
with appropriate exercises, under most
auspicious circumstances. The pres-
ence of so many distinguished per-
sons was a prominent feature of the
day. General J. A. Hamilton, the
famous British general, and party, in-
cluding Sir Kay Muir, his brother-in-
law witnessed the dedication with
great interest. General Hamilton

spent yesterday at Gettysburg and
went to Antietam today.

The order of services observed was
as follows: Prayer by Rev. William
R. Parsons, of Ohio, report of the Ohio
battlefield commission, read by Cap-
tain W. W. Miller; introductory by
the president, Major David Cunningham;
presentation of the monuments to
the war department by Governor George K. Nash of Ohio; acceptance
by Acting Secretary of War Robert
Shaw Oliver.

General R. P. Kennedy, of the 23rd
Ohio regiment, was the orator of the
day.

THE STAGE.

New York, Philadelphia, Boston
Washington or Chicago, New York
critics have unanimously declared that
it is the best play which Augustus
Thomas, author of "Alabama" and
in "Missouri" has yet given the stage.
Mr. Sill, in the Evening World, said
of "Arizona" on the Tuesday following
its first production at the Herald
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seen on Broadway in a generation." As
the title indicates, "Arizona" has
its scenes in the picturesque South-
western territory which is now dignified
of statehood. It is by no means
a "wild and woolly" melodrama and
although it is replete with stirring
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climax, which would probably claim
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RHEUMATISM
NOT A SKIN DISEASE.

It is natural to rub the spot that hurts, and when rheumatic
pains are shooting through the joints and muscles and they are
inflamed and sore, the sufferer is apt to turn to liniments and plasters
for relief; and while such treatment may quiet the pain temporarily,
no amount of rubbing or blistering can cure Rheumatism, because it
is not a skin disease, but is in the blood and all through the system,
and every time you are exposed to the same conditions that caused
the first attack, you are going to have another, and Rheumatism
will last just as long as the poison is in the blood, no matter what
you apply externally. Too much acid in the blood is one cause of
rheumatism; stomach troubles, bad digestion, weak kidneys and

weak liver are other causes
because the blood becomes
contaminated with the poisonous matter
which these organs fail to
carry out of the system. Certain
secret diseases will produce
rheumatism, and of all forms
this is the most stubborn and
severe, for it seems to affect
every bone and muscle in the
body. The blood is the medium
in which the poison and acids

are carried through the system, and it doesn't matter what kind of
rheumatism you have, it must be treated through the blood, or you
will never get permanently rid of it. A cure for rheumatic trou-
bles S. S. has never been equalled. It doesn't inflame the stomach
and turn the digestion like Potash, Alkalies and other strong drugs,
but tones up the general health, gently
stimulates the sluggish organs, and at
the same time antidotes and filters out
of the blood all poisonous acids and
effete matter of every kind; and when
S. S. has restored the blood to its
natural condition, the painful, feverish

feverish muscles are immediately relieved.
Our special book on Rheumatism will be mailed free to those
desiring it. Our physicians will cheerfully answer all letters asking
for special information or advice, for which no charge is made.

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Any man who is as well dressed as we can dress you is pretty sure to be welcome wherever he goes; especially if his conduct is anywhere like as good as the clothes we sell. If we supply your Suits and Overcoats your friends will enjoy having you around, if for nothing else than just to look at. If we can get you inside of one of our

Hart, Schaffner & Marx

Suits or Overcoats you'll be glad to see yourself. These famous clothes were never better, in style, quality and fit than this season. We have a most varied assortment of the latest new patterns and fabrics; and we can furnish you with Suits and Overcoats from \$15 upward with this celebrated name on them. It will pay you to see them; look at the best of them--Suits as high as \$25; Overcoats as high as \$35. You can't buy such clothes anywhere else.

Other good lines of clothes \$6 to \$15.

Our Children's Department

Is the most complete of any in Lima. We have all the very latest creations for the little fellows. Norfolk, Sailor Blouses, Russian Blouses, Peter Thompsons, in fact everything that's new, at prices to please all. \$1.50 and upward.

Fall Furnishings--Everything for man and boy.

All the new fall Hats at

MORRIS BROS'.

217 North Main Street.

Lima, Ohio.

THEY WILL BOOST LIMA

As the City for the G. A. R.'s Ohio Department Headquarters.

Members of Mart Armstrong Post and W. R. C. Will Open a Museum and Guessing Contest--Preparing to Take Tiffin by Storm Next Spring.

What will be the total number of votes cast in Allen county on Tuesday, November 3, 1903, for the candidates for Governor?

In 1901, two years ago, the total vote cast for the various gubernatorial candidates aggregated 10095.

Prepare to Guess.

For the purpose of boosting Lima as the next place for the Ohio department headquarters, of the G. A. R., the members of Mart Armstrong Post and the members of the Woman's Relief Corps, have hit upon a novel plan by which they expect to establish a fund to defray the expenses of the proposed campaign.

The next annual encampment of the Ohio G. A. R. will be held at Tiffin in May of the coming year, and Mart Armstrong post intends to attend with a full turn out of members, a company of roopers, a brass band, a drum corps, the glad hand and, last, but not least, a popular candidate for the office of department commander.

The trip and the campaign will cost money, and as the undertaking is one that will boost Lima as well as her candidate, the post will ask the people of the city to aid them in an effort to raise a sufficient fund to defray the expense. The plan has already received the prompt approval and assistance of the local daily news-

paper, and a number of citizens who have been called upon by the committee in charge of arrangements.

One of the leading features of the fund creating scheme, is a guessing contest in which there will be, in all, fourteen prizes to be distributed among the lucky contestants.

In the museum, Dr. L. J. Steuber will place his magnificent collection of weapons of war and other articles of interest which he collected in the Philippines, on exhibition. Mr. J. J. Anderson will exhibit a valuable and extensive collection of relics from Africa, and Mr. J. E. Gresean will exhibit birds and animals of all nations. Each evening, Dr. Steuber and Mr. Anderson will lecture on their respective collection, describing the customs and characteristics of the people, the collection represents.

The general admission to the place in which the guessing contest and refreshment stands, will be free, and the expense to the patrons will not exceed 10 cents in any one department. The fund will be applied to a good cause and three day's attractions should be liberally patronized.

Lipton's Ceylon, India, tea, at Smith's. 2-4t

A BARGAIN.

Lot 50x189 on south Baxter street, only \$200 if sold at once. L. C. Binkley room 1, Harper block. It

NOTICE!

All debts contracted by S. M. Osburn in the name of M. & S. Osburn and all debts contracted by him are null and void.

MRS. M. OSBURN.

Everybody's liable to lichen piles. Rich and poor, old and young--terrible the torture they suffer. Only one sure cure. Doan's Ointment. Absolutely safe; can't fail.

Cream cod fish at Smith's. 2-4t

RESIDENT

Of Gomer Died at a Good Old Age.

R. M. Price, an old and respected resident of Gomer, died yesterday morning at 9 o'clock, at the age of 74 years. The deceased settled in Allen county, in 1856 and leaves a wife and two sons, Squire Wm. R. Price and Thomas, both of whom made their home with their father. Mr. Price was a man who numbered every acquaintance a friend, and one who is especially grieved is Evan R. Jonts, a life-long associate. The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Gomer Congregational church.

The children are staying at grandpa's. Mama has gone down to the sea. Papa is at home working. Keeping himself well with Rocky Mountain Tea. H. Vortkamp, corner Main and North streets.

New English walnuts at Smith's. 2-4t

FRIENDS

Are Given a Tip to Take Advantage of.

A license of the "Don't Publish" variety may give a tip to friends of the contracting parties. Durbin W. Knisely, 23, operator by trade, has succeeded in winning the good graces of Miss Sadie Parson, both of Lima, and the legal consent was issued yesterday evening.

CAPTAIN KENT W. HUGHES, OF CO. K. AND MR. FRANK M. MAIRE, WILL HAVE A MATCH SHOOT AT THE RIFLE RANGE OF THE LIMA RIFLE ASSOCIATION TOMORROW AFTERNOON, OCT. 15TH. TAKE EARLY CARS.

Miss Blocher, recital at Lima College Chapel tonight.

Lipton's Ceylon green and Oolong tea at Smith's. 2-4t

'Tisn't safe to be a day without Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil in the house. Never can tell what moment an accident is going to happen.

FELDMANN & CO.

A Complete Underwear Stock.

Our large assortment of Union Suits, Vests, Pants and Tights for women and children is inducement for buying Underwear NOW. The stock is complete in every detail and owing to our having contracted for our goods many months ahead we are enabled to quote our usual low prices notwithstanding the advance prevalent in this class of goods.

Superior Grades of

Ladies' Long Sleeve Cotton Vests at 25c, 35c and 50c.

Ladies' Fleeced Cotton Vests or Pants at 25c, 35c and 50c.

Ladies' Fleeced Union Suits at 50c, 75c, 98c and \$1.25.

Ladies' Merino Union Suits at \$1.25 and \$1.48.

Ladies' Wool Union Suits at \$1.98, \$2.50 and \$2.75.

Ladies' Merino Vests or Pants, high class goods, at 75c.

Ladies' Wool Vests or Pants at 98c, \$1.25 and \$1.48.

Ladies' Long Sleeved Ribbed Corset Covers at 25c, 39c and 50c.

Boys' Excellent Fleeced Shirts or Drawers, choice quality, 25c, 39c and 50c.

Children's Fleeced Union Suits at 25c, 50c and 75c.

Children's Fleeced Vests or Pants at 15c to 25c, according to size.

Children's Fleeced Ribbed Vests or Pants at 25c and up.

Children's High Class Merino and Wool Vests, Fanta, Tights and Union Suits in all sizes.

The Very Best Values in Flannelette Night Gowns.

A Fine Line of Warm Short Skirts at 25c to \$1.98.

Feldmann & Co.

209-211 N. Main Street.

Special Sale of Silks at 49c and 25c.

High class Taffeta Silks in a variety of colorings and black, our best 75c goods, only short lengths of some, a great bargain at 49c.

Solid colored Jap Silks, as also short lengths of colored Satin and Velveteen, formerly sold at 39c and 50c, to close out at 25c.